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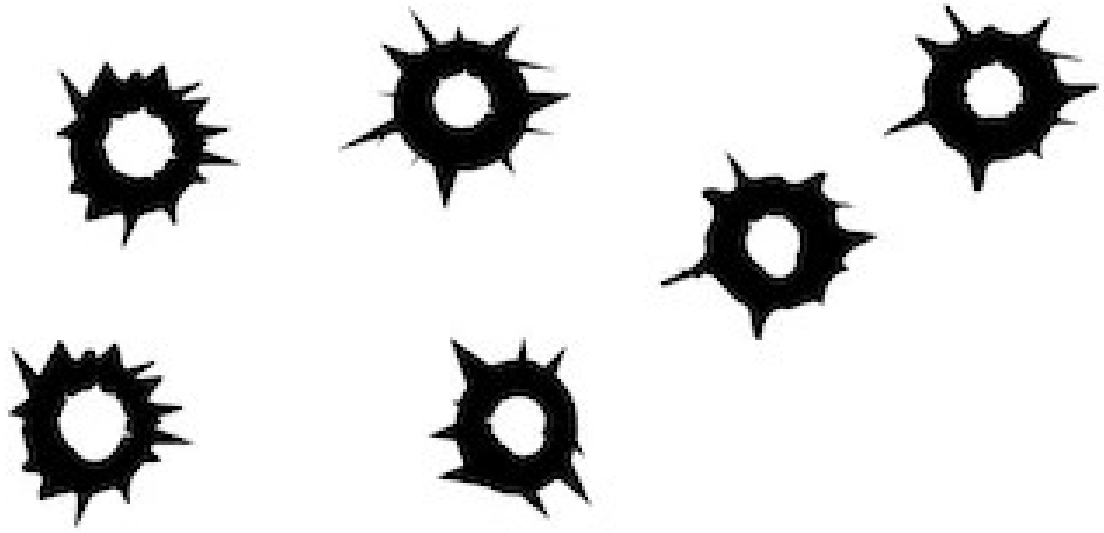
Angry Trannies* Against Cops and Kings

***and Dykes, Faggots, etc.**



Vengeance

"We are under attack. What is the body count? I've lost track."

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To the Five Per Cent

As I write this, word has just come out regarding the latest 'consultation' by the NHS on whether trans kids should be allowed medical care.

I've lost count of the number of times this question, or a variation on it, has been asked. The answer is always the same. It was this time, too. 3,672 respondents. 180 of them were against puberty blockers. The rest were against murdering trans children through neglect.

The NHS have decided to withdraw care anyway, following the opinion of (less than) 5 per cent of the participants in this 'consultation'.

This message is to those five per cent, and the people who bowed to them.

We see you.

Understand that.

Really internalise it.

I'm sure you think you are very clever, capturing the institutions that you have. You pat yourselves on the back, as you take money from fascists and get the megaphone of the mainstream media handed to you. It must be exciting, getting invited to party with lonely billionaires and yesterday's comedians.

But we see you.

We will not forget.

Enjoy the cruel future you have made.

EXACTLY THE SAME

Who remembers when member of transphobe aristocracy Helen Joyce was spotted reading Harry Potter erotica on a train? By the time you read this, it'll be at least a month ago but that was fucking wild, huh? Google it if I sound like I'm being insane.

Anyhow, what happened next was fascinating, because the bigoted lot of them closed ranks and declared it was research. Maybe it was. Who knows. Still shouldn't read porn in large print in the aisle seat of a train, Helen! But moving on to what really got me pissed off. Julie Bindel.

Not just in general for once. In specific, she tweeted the following in response:

"Whenever someone comes to my home for the first time I have to remember to warn them that there are some books and videos on my study shelves that may surprise/offend them. Books by child abuse apologists, pro-porn material, porn, writings celebrating sadomasochism and amputee-kink. I research these issues because I campaign against and write about them. And to tell me (or any woman doing the same) that really, we ENJOY/get a thrill from it is EXACTLY the same as telling women we love it when raped."

So preamble over, let's break this apart. See, people had been saying, partly in jest, that Helen Joyce enjoyed reading about magical racist Draco Malfoy and his escapades with the less-than-enthusiastically-consenting Hermione. A middle aged woman getting off to noncon fic is arguably less far-fetched than the idea that she was reading it to research trans people. But Julie has to take the "it was research" line for her ally and perhaps she didn't mean to equate dime-a-dozen Harry Potter fanfics with the books she has on her shelf, but she absolutely DID equate the latter with rape. As in "if you say women enjoy reading about porn and child abuse, that's the same as saying women enjoy being raped."

I don't even think she misspoke.

In her mind, depictions of porn, kink, child abuse etc. ARE the thing themself, which are themself rape. So willingly researching uncomfortable topics is the same to her as being subject to sexual violence. And here we see the radfem "sex equals violence" sleight of hand. And that's the most disgusting thing.

That's what goes on in the minds of "GCs". They're not actually being hyperbolic when they act like every trans woman is a rapist. They think being trans is a kink, and all kink is equivalent to rape. A vast spectrum of human experience from mild discomfort about someone being different to you, all the way to what normal fucking people would actually call rape… Collapsed into one amorphous phenomenon that can be turned about whichever way they prefer.

Oh and when she says "child abuse apologists", it's unclear if she actually means "child abuse" or "happy trans kids" because she's on record equating puberty blockers to rape too.

So make no mistake. People like Bindel, Stock, Joyce, and of course Queen Jo… They can't be reasoned with. They don't have a logical response to you as a queer person. Anything short of complete acquiescence to their point of view, and you are ontologically a rapist.

Even if you're a survivor. Even if you support victims of abuse. Because they don't actually care about people. They don't care about women or lesbians or whoever they're hiding behind.

They're too deep in their crusade and we're just waiting for them to finally fucking expire.

Queer Your Gender

The story so far: In the beginning, Gender was created. This has made a lot of people very angry and been widely regarded as a bad move.

To paraphrase the late Douglas Adams. (Late as in he died in 2001, not just that he was terrible with deadlines even though he was that too)

Not only was Gender created, it was created multiple times, as if a god wanted one more iteration just to get it right. Sex, language, social classes, social roles, identities, all one big mess we call Gender despite being multiple different things.

Is gender a prison, a map, a sham?

I just feel very Gender today.

As in, Gender is a wall between me and you. You can't see me and I can't see you, but if I fuck with the wall, you'll see glimpses, shapes, and see the impression I make on the medium. We still have the wall but now you know it's there and now you know I'm behind it.

Can't bring the wall down because in this metaphor it's load-bearing.

Or maybe we should anyway. Maybe this husk of society has outlived its welcome.

Or maybe being able to get pharmaceuticals is worth the cost after all.

All I know is I feel very Gender today.

HEY!

You.

Yeah, you.

You look like you've got something to say.

Come shout it with us.

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